



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of : Boronat et al.
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Synthesis
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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION FOR TWO MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.136(a), applicant respectfully petitions for a two month extension of time to file an Amendment in response to Office Action dated February 12, 2003. The new time for filing such Amendment will be July 12, 2003, extended pursuant to 37 CFR §§1.136(a) and 1.17(a).

Please charge Deposit Account No. 50-1100 for Four Hundred Ten dollars and no/100 (\$410.00) for the extension of time fee. An original plus two copies of this letter are enclosed for accounting purposes. If any other charges are incurred or credited, please charge Deposit Account shown above.

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